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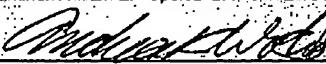
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**RESPONSE TO SECOND OFFICE ACTION**

This paper responds to the second non-final Office Action mailed April 14, 2004. Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the complete listing of claims, which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.